IN THE ABSTRACT:

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A parking brake system is provided in which a parking brake state of a wheel brake is obtained by forward movement of a parking piston ~~(44)~~ slidably fitted into a casing ~~(23)~~ with the rear side of the parking piston ~~(44)~~ facing a parking control fluid pressure chamber ~~(47)~~, a lock piston ~~(56)~~ forming part of a lock mechanism ~~(31)~~ for mechanically locking the forwardly moved state of the parking piston ~~(44)~~ is slidably fitted into the casing ~~(23)~~ to the rear of the parking piston ~~(44)~~ and urged forwardly by a spring, an opening ~~(112)~~ provide in a portion of the casing ~~(23)~~ that the rear side of the lock piston ~~(56)~~ faces is closed by a detachable lid member ~~(113)~~, a tool connection part ~~(115)~~ enables a tool inserted through the opening ~~(112)~~ to be detachably connected to the tool connection part ~~(115)~~. This enables an automatic parking brake state to be obtained by a simple structure without consuming power, and the parking brake state to be released by a manual operation for maintenance or inspection.